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☒ original patent application,  
☐ continuation-in-part application

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TITLE **SEMAPHORING SYSTEM BETWEEN SYSTEM FIRMWARE AND HARDWARE  
MANIPULATION SUBSYSTEM**

Enclosed are:

- ☒ The Declaration and Power of Attorney. ☒ signed ☐ unsigned or partially signed  
☒ 3 sheets of drawings (one set) ☐ Associate Power of Attorney  
☐ Form PTO-1449 ☒ Information Disclosure Statement and Form PTO-1449  
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